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SENT VIA:

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The Honorable Colleen Kollar-Kotally
U.S. District Court, District of Columbia

c/o Renata B. Hesse
Antitrust Division
U.S. Department of Justice
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Re: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Judge Kollar-Kotally:

I write to object to the proposed settlement in the *Microsoft v. DOJ* case.**Attorneys at Law**

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The federal district court determined that Microsoft has violated United States antitrust laws and the Court of Appeals reviewed and sustained that finding. The Court remanded the case to the district court for a determination of the appropriate remedy. At long last, the case can proceed and the Court may impose appropriate remedies for violations U.S. antitrust law.

Although I personally find Microsoft's cavalier attitude towards antitrust laws troubling, and feel that the break-up may be appropriate under certain circumstances, I understand that the Court of Appeals has already determined that break-up is not an appropriate remedy. I further understand that the DOJ has agreed to a settlement of the matter on terms that I believe are wholly inadequate and partially unenforceable. Therefore, I ask that you not approve the settlement and hold your own hearings to determine and impose an appropriate remedy.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jenniffer Byde'.
Jenniffer Byde

cc: The Honorable Mark Shurtleff, Utah Attorney General